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1. OFFICIAL ZAIRIAN NEWAGENCY (AZAP) NOVEMBER 10 REPORTS STATEMENT BY ZAIRIAN COMMISSIONER OF STATE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS BULA AS HE DEPARTED KAMPALA NOVEMBER 7. BULA SAID SOVIET INTERFERENCE IN AFRICAN AFFAIRS IS INSULT TO ENTIRE CONTINENT, THAT SOVIET ATTITUDE WOULD BE COMPARABLE TO ATTEMPT BY OAU PRESIDENT TO COUNSEL SECRETARY GENERAL OF SOVIET COMMUNIST PARTY ON POLICY TO ADOPT TOWARDS CZECHOSLOVAKIA. ACCUSED SOVIETS OF SEEKING CONTROL OF ANGOLA IN ORDER TO EXPLOIT IT. BOTH EASTERN AND WESTERN IMPERIALISM ARE DANGERS FOR AFRICA, SAID BULA. SOVIET UNION HAS ENGAGED IN SUPPLY OF SOPHISTICATED WEAPONS TO ANGOLANS, ALLOWING THEM TO KILL ONE ANOTHER, WHILE US - AFTER ITS FAILURE IN VIETNAM

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WANTS TO INFILTRATE AFRICA. APROPOS OF CABINDA, BULA SAID

ANGOLA AND CABINDA ARE SEPARATE ENTITIES, THAT ZAIRE WILL SUPPORT
CABINDANS IN STRUGGLE FOR SELF-DETERMINATION.

COMMENT: KINSHASA DAILY ELIMA NOVEMBER 9-10, REPORTED SAME STATEMENT
BY BULA WHICH INCLUDED REMARK CONCERNING WESTERN IMPERIALISM, BUT
OMITTED SPECIFICS RE. US FAILURE IN VIETNAM AND DESIRE TO INFILTRATE
AFRICA.
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